

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Derived Thereof  
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**AMENDMENT, RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT, AND  
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

For the above-identified application, this is an Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement in response to the Office Action mailed on October 10, 2006, as well as a Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on May 1, 2007.

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